

Reception Newsletter Summer 2018

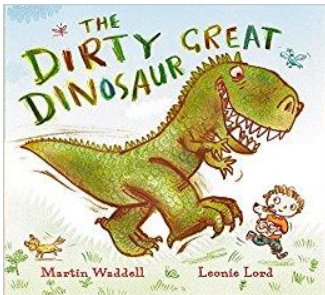
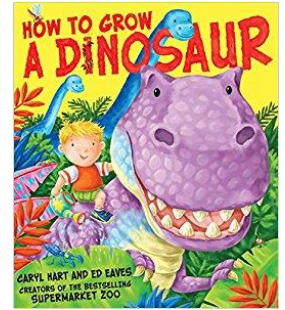


Welcome back to the start of the Summer term!
Our main topic for this term is “Dinosaurs.”

Reading and writing

Our focus texts this term are “How to Grow a Dinosaur” and “The Dirty Great Dinosaur.”

We will be writing our own versions of these stories and sharing our knowledge through dinosaur fact sheets.



Maths

In maths children will be learning to solve problems involving doubling, halving and sharing and solving addition and subtraction problems by counting on or back. They will also be learning about measurements of time and using bee-bots to follow directions.

Topic

Children will be learning about the history of dinosaurs, how we know about them, where they lived, what they ate and many more dinosaur facts. In our book “How to Grow a Dinosaur” a little boy plants magic seeds and ends up with a dinosaur park in his back garden! We have been busy planting our own seeds in the outdoor area and are looking forward to seeing what they will grow into.

Children will have the opportunity to use their imagination in our ‘Dinosaur Museum’ roleplay area as well as testing out their excavating skills in the small world area. We will be creating dinosaur models, skeletons, salt dough fossils, dinosaur eggs and pre-historic landscapes.

PE

The children will be doing PE on Mondays. Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school and that all items are labelled with their name. Please encourage children to practise getting dressed independently at home to help them get changed quickly in school! Please also ensure that earrings are not worn on these days.



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